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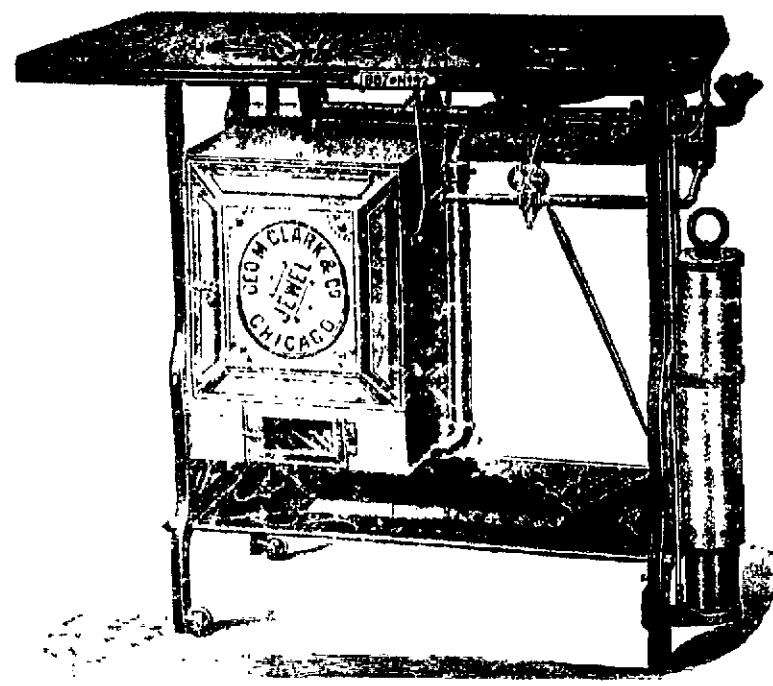
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ABSOLUTELY THE SAFEST AND MOST CONVENIENT.



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Our business was established in 1855, thirty-two years ago, on the corner of South Main and Wood Streets, where we are still located. The above fact proves conclusively that we have attained marked success in catering to the wants of the public, and should be accepted as a sufficient guarantee for the future. We can assure before supply you with the best of everything in our line, and only ask for a confirmation of the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, being satisfied that we can MEET all demands made upon us.

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Flags, Lanterns, Paper Caps, Paper Cap Pistols, AND A FULL LINE OF

4TH OF JULY GOODS.

Remember we have the Bankrupt Stock of Fireworks from E. C. Reese, which will be sold at a Sacrifice. It will pay you to get our prices.

H. MUELLER & SONS, 138 Merchant Street.

June 17—(P)

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

Get the BEST for your MONEY.

BIG C LITTLE D CHEWING TOBACCO!

Now on Sale. These goods have no equal in Decatur. Try them and you will use no other.

DINGES & COOP.

TUESDAY EVE, JUNE 28, 1887.

LOCAL NEWS.

Saw that beautiful line of Bronze Pictures and Tripartite Mirrors, just opened at E. D. BATHOLMEY & CO'S.

Try the Durham Cigar.

Another meeting of the city council will be held Wednesday evening.

Junior Higgins will make short work of court cases this week.

See Niemeyer on the Mount for reliable family groceries.

It will pay you to deal with S. P. Cowan, the live grocer in Haworth block.

The choice Vienna bread and good groceries are sold by J. Lytle & Co. in Opera block.

The Light Guard Band and Orchestra have been engaged to play for the Firemen's Tournament at Lincoln on the 4th of July.

By one of those Hoosier cut-wheaters on sale at Lytle & Eckels' hardware store.

A STEPHEN of Judge Hughes felt off a chair at Mattoon on Sunday and broke his arm.

Stop in at Knott & Osborne's grocery store for supplies to suit you.

The blackberry crop is a failure in this section. The blight has killed the berries.

Officers Bailey and Hardy now do duty as police in the city during the day time.

The City Coal company has opened up for business at their new office on West Main street. The number of their telephone is 433.

Send in orders by telephone to Smith & Son for vegetables, fruits and groceries.

Yorva men's prayer meeting this evening at 7:45 in the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association. All men are invited to attend. Morgan English will conduct the meeting this evening.

Repairing and repainting general line of vehicle work at the Bluegrass Shop, 416-417.

Rev. W. H. WEBSTER, of Danville, Methodist preaching elder, former pastor of St. Paul's Church, this city, has gone to Seabula, Mo., to visit his son, William, age 12 years, who was probably fatally injured by falling under a freight train.

Ask your grocer for the celebrated White Foam flour.

PORTLAND with all the people—Shelby-burger's White Lard and Daily Bread flour.

The active young grocers, Hanks & Patterson, invite you to trade with them. Their store is at 143 South Water street.

Carr on A. Kraemer at his factory on East Main street, and see the new style of family carriages he offers for sale.

SANDY BOGAN having purchased and refitted the Little Nugget Barber Shop will run it under an entirely different system. Call at 316 East Main street for the best of work.

LITERARY COURTESY at St. Paul's.

On and after June 25th, the U. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets from Decatur to Kankakee and return at the low rate of \$1.50, tickets good to return any time within 30 days from date of purchase. The "Hotel Riverview" will be opened for the season on above date. Try the new summer resort for a month of rest and recreation. C. D. Jenson, ticket agent.

THE Pianos and Organs sold by Prescott have been for many years in the market, and always found as represented. Examine his stock before placing your orders and you will be sure to buy.

George Plannel Shirts, in all the latest shades, plated bosom, perfect fit, at B. Stine's.

Grain In Store in Chicago.

Weekly Statement of the stock of the State Warehouse, showing the amount, in bushels, of each kind of grain in store in the Public Warehouses of Chicago, at the close of business on

SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 1887.

Kind of grain. Increase during week. Decrease during week. Total amount on hand.

Wheat 2,200,000 14,000 2,214,000

Barley 100,000 10,000 110,000

Oats 1,000,000 10,000 1,010,000

Rye 100,000 10,000 110,000

Correspondence. J. W. B. 100,000

Not decrease during the week. 27,000 bushels.

J. W. B. 100,000

Warehouse Receipts.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure, safe and speedy cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Try this wonder healer. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stinson.

NOTICE.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to the

Estate of R. L. Little, deceased,

are hereby requested to make payment to the undersigned at the store in court house block, on or before August 15, 1887, after which date legal steps must be taken to collect the same.

L. B. BARNES, Adm'r.

June 23-1887

I Mean Business.

Having determined to change my location, I will offer my residence property at a price so low you will be interested. If you get left, no one to blame but yourself.

Jno. W. LYON, Republican Job Rooms.

Buy a Sweet Baby

Carriage for the sweetest baby in all the county at Bachman Bros' big store on East Main street.

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GOING TO THE JURY.

Harrah's Life and Liberty at the Mercy of 12 Men.

The last scene in the murder case of The People vs. Charles Harrah is close at hand. The jury have patiently listened to all the evidence in the case, weighing it carefully, and since 10 o'clock Monday forenoon they have been deliberating in words of eloquence and power. Mr. Mills for the People spoke for three hours and spoke ably while he read the law bearing on murder cases. He was followed by J. M. Ready for the defense, who held the attention of the jury for one hour and forty minutes. His effort was an earnest one, and will doubtless have weight with the jury. Mr. Buckingham, who closed for the defense, did not finish at the night session, and wound up this morning. He delivered one of his characteristically effective speeches, waving his points together well and driving them at the jury. He spoke for four hours and five minutes.

State's Attorney Vail closed the talking for the People, speaking for over two hours, and making the most of the damaging evidence against the defendant. The instructions of the court have been submitted to the jury, and they have retired in charge of Bailiffs Harris and Carter.

NO VERDICT YET.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon the jury had not agreed upon a verdict.

The verdict may be reached this evening.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.

The confidence cases against Baine and Adams, were continued to the next term by agreement.

Grant Cassins and George Davis, for burglary were brought over from the jail and placed on trial.

A Noted Convict.

In the Chicago Tribune of Sunday appeared a long article giving the rather remarkable criminal history of the author, Joseph Howard. He says he has "done time" in nearly all the state prisons of the west. After leaving the prison in Missouri he writes:

"I then started out as a professional criminal, traveling from one town to another through Missouri, Iowa and Illinois. Reaching Decatur, Ill., in January, 1876, I burglarized five houses in one night, and at 3 o'clock in the morning was getting on a train to leave the place, when I was arrested with the plunder against me. Five indictments were found against me, but by pleading guilty to one I was let off with a sentence of one year at Joliet.

Further along he says he was put in the Decatur calaboose as a vagrant in 1884, but broke out and escaped to go to the next again.

His name can not be found on the court records here. He probably gave in a fictitious name when arrested.

Sales of Real Estate.

Wm. J. Logan to Louis V. Lyon, the south half of lot 3, in block 1, H. Robinson's addition—\$900.

Mary T. Gault to J. W. McCormick, lot 14 in block 2, Gault's lot addition—\$325.

John A. Brown to John M. Ramey, master's deed—\$692.68.

A Farewell Party.

A delightfully pleasant party and farewell reception was given last night by Mrs. N. A. White and Mrs. A. C. Waterhouse, at the Col. White residence, in honor of Miss Stella B. Hadden and her guest, Miss Pemberton. A fine musical programme was rendered by artists present, and a rich collation was served at a seasonable hour. At midnight Miss Hadden was accompanied to the depot by the company, where she took the train for Chicago, from which place after the musical convention, she goes to Sandusky, Ohio, her home, where she will reside in future. The guests present at the reception were E. M. Young, A. T. Hill, V. G. Hatch, J. M. Ciokey, Rev. Stevens, Dr. Bunnell, Dr. E. Randall, Rev. Freestley, Charles Montgomery, J. F. Roach, P. Roach, L. Burrows, W. Voorhies, Rev. Voorburg, C. C. Clark, and their wives; Mesdames G. L. Ward, J. M. May, and Mrs. John Hanna, of Mattoon; Mesdames Jessie Stevens, Minnie Parker, Florence Adams, Rose Judson, Annie and Alice Tuttle, Maude and Belle Burrows, Annie Barry, Nellie Durfee, Clara Trevin, and Messrs. James Coop, Ed Powers, Frank Powers, Charles and Fred Henderson, Charles Denton, Bering Burrows, Walter Strange, Will and James Roberts and H. Z. Taylor.

Base Ball.

The St. Louis Central will play at Mattoon on the 4th; the Chicago Whittings at Danville; the Chicago Maroons at Bloomington, and the Prickly Ash team at Decatur.

Durham cigars have gone to Chicago to hire ball players.

Tickets are selling for the Decatur club ball on the night of July 4th.

The Decatur go to Taylorville Thursday and Friday, and may play the Mt. Zion club in Decatur on Saturday. The Holy City boys say they can knock Staley out of the box.

A confident Champaign man lost \$14 in clean cash on the ball game yesterday, betting one and two dollars at a time.

The Lafayette club was defeated at Bloomington yesterday, 20 to 6.

E. B. PRATT is greatly improving the residence property purchased by him adjoining his home on the west. A new porch is being built, the house is being repainted and repapered inside and out and the fences lowered.

At His New Shop.

Calvin Nichols, the veteran blacksmith, is now in possession of his new brick shop on Franklin street, between Wood and East Main streets. He has two improved forges and a double entrance. Plenty of room, and satisfaction guaranteed in every case. Remember the place, next of Grindel's marble shop, on Franklin street.

J. S. JOHNSON by his attorneys has brought suit against the Walcott, placing damages at \$10,000. He is the young man who was seriously injured by being pushed off a freight train by a brakeman near the target while the train was in rapid motion. The injury to his right leg makes him a cripple for life. Johnson is at St. Mary's Hospital. Burres & Griffith are his attorneys.

The Durham Cigar.

Do not be deceived, this is one of the finest cigars ever offered for five cents. Call around at Swearingen's drug store and try one.

Avoid the use of calomel for bilious complaints. Ayer's Cathartic Pills, entirely vegetable, have been tested forty years, and are acknowledged to be the best remedy for torpidity of the liver, costiveness, and indigestion.

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THE EIGHTH ANNUAL FOUR-MILE STRAIGHT-AWAY RACE BETWEEN EIGHT-OARED CREWS REPRESENTING HARVARD UNIVERSITY AND COLUMBIA COLLEGE WAS ROWED MONDAY AFTERNOON ON THE THAMES RIVER COURSE FROM GALEA RIVER TO WINTHROP POINT, NEAR NEW LONDON, CONNECTICUT, AND PROVED TO BE ONE OF THE MOST HOTLY CONTESTED RACES EVER ROWED, BOTH CREWS BEATING THE RECORD OF 20 MINUTES AND 31 SECONDS MADE BY YALE IN 1884. THE OFFICIAL TIME IS: HARVARD, 20:20; COLUMBIA, 20:29. CHARLEY SCHROLL, SON OF WM. SCHROLL, OF DECATUR, AND A GRADUATE OF THE HIGH SCHOOL, WAS ONE OF THE HARVARD CREW AND PROVED A WINNING MASCOOT. HE WILL ROW WITH HARVARD AGAINST THE YALE CREW ON FRIDAY.

The eighth annual four-mile straight-away race between eight-oared crews representing Harvard University and Columbia College was rowed Monday afternoon on the Thames river course from Galea river to Winthrop Point, near New London, Connecticut, and proved to be one of the most hotly contested races ever rowed, both crews beating the record of 20 minutes and 31 seconds made by Yale in 1884. The official time is: Harvard, 20:20; Columbia, 20:29. Charley Schroll, son of Wm. Schroll, of Decatur, and a graduate of the high school, was one of the Harvard crew and proved a winning mascot. He will row with Harvard against the Yale crew on Friday.

Death of Dr. Prentice.

Dr. W. S. Prentice, in his day one of the ablest ministers of the Illinois conference, died at 3 o'clock this morning at his home in Springfield, in the 69th year of his age. At one time he was presiding elder for this district, and has frequently visited Decatur. He leaves a widow and five children. The news of his death was telephoned to Dr. Hiram Buck this morning.

A Change.

The State Mutual Benefit Association at Mattoon, of which Judge Hughes was president, and his brother, J. W. Hughes, secretary, has been consolidated with the Decatur Mutual Life and Accident Relief Association, of which Hon. L. L. Haworth is president. The two associations will do business under the name of the Decatur institution and the office will be in the brick building on West Main street. J. W. Hughes will serve as secretary and manager and will remove to Decatur.

Fire at Jacksonville.

There was a very damaging fire at Jacksonville Monday night, which broke out at 11 o'clock and continued until after one o'clock this morning. Strawn's opera house was almost entirely destroyed. Four stores—McDonnell, wall paper; VanWelch, drugs; Jackson, millinery; and Wright, furniture, are gone. Loss on opera house, \$85,000; insurance, \$20,000. The other losses will bring the total up to \$125,000; insurance unobtainable. The fire broke out in the Wright furniture store.

The Misses Mary and Emma Knox, missionaries of Fillmore, Utah, met the ladies of the Home Mission Society of the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon, and at 8 p. m. Miss Mary Knox gave an interesting talk about their work which was listened to by members of the society and congregation. The ladies are pleading for more workers and more means.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. E. Saxton, the bookseller, is convalescent.

Mrs. J. D. Templeton is entertaining Miss Lucretia Winchell of Cincinnati.

Mayor Kanan went to Indianapolis last night on business.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Gers, of Champaign, came over to see the ball game.

Charles Hughes, of Monticello, state's attorney for Peoria county, was in court today.

Mrs. Alex. Strong, of Champaign, and Mrs. Jenkins, of Bement, were guests of Mrs. J. F. Curry at the Hotel Brunswick yesterday.

Hon. E. M. Hauke will deliver the oration at Bloomington on the 4th, and Wm. Evans, of Chicago, will try to make the eagle soar at Peoria that day.

Sebastian Ehrhart, who was hurt last Friday by a fall from his sprinkling cart, is improving slowly and can walk around his room.

Mrs. M. L. Parker will leave for Ithaca and Poland, N. Y., to visit relatives a month or so. Mr. Parker will go east within two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Boyd and daughters and Mrs. W. B. Chambers arrived home last night from California after an absence of six weeks. Dr. Moore is yet in the west and will return later.

Mrs. A. W. Clarkson was at Nashville, Tenn., on Sunday, attending the funeral of a nephew, Thos. Tharall, aged 30 years. He was accidentally drowned in the Cumberland river on Friday.

Misses Lon and Minnie L. Russell, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Russell, came in over the Walnut street depot and will reside in Central Illinois for the next six days—until the opening of the Chicago public schools in September next.

Decatur, 20—Champaign, 6.

There was a fair-sized crowd out yesterday afternoon to see the Decatur do up the Champaign Clippers by a score of 20 to 6. The home club, with Devore on third, Copeland and Golden in the points and Cal on first, played good ball, while Devore, Turner, Golden, Conley, Staley and Coppe distinguished themselves at the bat. The visitors got but seven clean hits off Copeland, as four of them got first on called balls. The visitors played loosely in the field, an ordinary but being good for two bases. Below is the tabulated score:

DECATUR. B. O. E. F. T. A. R. T. S.

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Golden, 1b 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Conley, cf 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Turner, 2b 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Copeland, p 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

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